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APPLICANT:	MESSIER	}	EXAMINER:
SERIAL NO.:	10/079,042		
FILED:	FEBRUARY 19, 2002		
TITLE:	METHODS TO IDENTIFY EVOLUTIONARILY SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN POLYNUCLEOTIDE AND POLYPEPTIDE SEQUENCES IN DOMESTICATED PLANTS AND ANIMALS		

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
Attn: Box Missing Parts

Dear Sir:

**REPLY TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

The applicant hereby replies to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application," mailed April 4, 2002. A copy of the Notice is enclosed. In reply to the Notice, the applicant submits a check for \$2,677.00 which covers the following:

(a) the basic filing fee of				\$370.00
(b) surcharge fee of				\$65.00
(c) 3 months extension fee				\$460.00
(d) Declaration				
(e) additional claims fee				
		extra	extra	
		claims	claim fee	
total claims:	78 -20	58	9.00	\$522.00
independent claims:	33 -3	30	42.00	\$1260.00
		Claim		\$1782.00
		Total		
		Overall		\$2677.00
		Total		

Applicant claims small entity status. The foregoing fees are calculated as a small entity.

The undersigned hereby authorizes the charging of any required fees not included or any deficiency of fees submitted herewith to deposit account No. 19-5117.

Respectfully submitted,

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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

**FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

***Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1782.
  - \$522 for 58 total claims over 20.
  - \$1260 for 30 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 2217.**

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